

REMARKS

With regard to the requirement for election and restriction, which is the only point raised in the Official Action mailed on February 3, 2005, Applicants hereby provisionally elect, with traverse, the Group I claims, namely, Claims 1, 3-37, 50-65 and 67, for examination.

The Examiner has required restriction of claims 1, 3-38, and 40-67 of the present application to the following groups:

Group I, including claims 1, 3-37, 50-65 and 67, is drawn to a process of treating of a catalyst, classified in class 502, subclass 20.

Group II, including claims 38, 40-49 and 66, is drawn to a process of production of polyolefins, classified in class 585, subclass 327.

To facilitate the prosecution of this case, Applicants elect Group I, claims 1, 3-37, 50-65 and 67, with traverse. Accordingly claims 38, 40-49 and 66 are withdrawn from consideration.

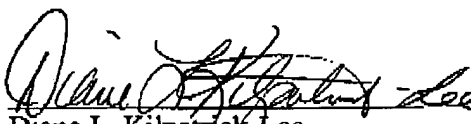
Applicants invite the Examiner to telephone the undersigned attorney if there are any issues outstanding which have not been presented to the Examiner's satisfaction.

Respectfully submitted,

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